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Ray L. Pickup

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Examiner: Liang, Leonard S.

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INK ASSIST AIR KNIFE

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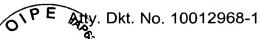
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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Sir:

This reply is in response to the Final Office Action mailed on August 10, 2005. Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows:

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